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DERIVATIVE FOR THE PRODUCTION OF RECOMBINANT PROTEINS
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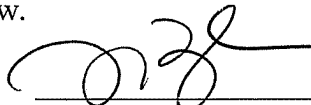
Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated August 9, 2010, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks for entry of record, in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination.

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